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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

FY 2005

(fees effective on or after December 8, 2004)

Docket Number: 12492.0276

Application Number: 10/633,485

Filed: July 31, 2003

For : HERMETIC SEAL ON METALLIZED FIBER OPTICS

Art Unit : 2883

Examiner: Ryan A. Lepisto

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 19-4293. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

I am the applicant/inventor.

assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 36,175

attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34. _____.

Signature

Scott D. Watkins

Typed or printed name

July 31, 2006

Date

202-429-3000

Telephone Number

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

Total of 1 forms are submitted.

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Effective 12/08/2004.

Fee Pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R.4818)

FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

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		Complete if Known	
		Application Number	10/633,485
		Filing Date	July 31, 2003
		First Named Inventor	M. Holt et al.
		Art Unit	2883
		Examiner Name	Ryan A. Lepisto
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	\$1,020.00	Attorney Docket Number	12492.0276

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

Check Credit Card Money Order None Other (please identify): _____
 Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: **19-4293** Deposit Account Name: **Steptoe & Johnson LLP**

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee
 Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments Credit any overpayments

of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Small Entity
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200
Multiple dependent claims	360

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
0	0	x 25	= \$	
				Fee (\$)

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
0	0	x 200	= 0.00	
				Fee (\$)

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- 100 =	0	0	\$250	\$0

(round up to a whole number)

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Three Month Extension of Time

Fees Paid (\$)
\$1,020.00

SUBMITTED BY			
Signature	Scott D. Watkins		
Name (Print/Type)	Registration No.	36,175	Telephone (202) 429-3000
	Date	7/31/06	